

require the railroad companies to maintain gates or watchmen at street crossings when deemed necessary.

Regulation of
power plants.

(7) To control and regulate the erection and use of steam and other power engines and boilers in the city, and to adopt such rules and regulations in relation thereto as may be deemed best for the public safety and comfort.

Regulation of
inflammable
substances.

(8) To regulate the transportation, storage, and use of gasoline, benzine, dynamite, and other substances which are explosive or highly inflammable and dangerous to the public safety.

Bicycles and
motor vehicles.

(9) To regulate the use of bicycles, automobiles, motor cars, motorcycles, or other motor vehicles; to issue permits for the use of such, and to require the same to be numbered.

Inspection of
dairies, milk, and
foodstuffs.

(10) To provide for inspection of all dairies doing business within the city, and to regulate and maintain a standard for milk sold in the city; to provide for and regulate the inspection of all foodstuffs offered for sale in the city of Wilmington, and to impose license fees on all persons engaged in any of said businesses.

Slaughter-houses,
abattoirs, and
meat markets.

(11) To regulate, license, or prohibit the business of slaughtering animals and to regulate the selling of fresh meats in the city limits; to revoke such license for malconduct in business; to regulate and prescribe plans and specifications and conduct of slaughter-houses and abattoirs where animals are slaughtered and where fresh meats are kept or stored for use or sale within the city.

Regulations for
health, comfort, and
convenience.

(12) To require any owner or occupant of a dairy, grocery, meat, fish, or other market place, any restaurant or eating place, any blacksmith shop, slaughtering-house, or stable, to cleanse or operate same in such manner as may be necessary for the health, comfort, and convenience of the inhabitants.

Markets and
market places.

(13) To establish markets and market places and provide for the government and regulation thereof.

Animals running
at large.

(14) To regulate, restrain, and prohibit the running at large of horses, cattle, sheep, swine, goats, dogs, and other animals in the city, and to authorize the impounding and sale of the same for the cost of proceedings and the penalty incurred; to order the destruction of such as cannot be sold or are not reclaimed; and to impose penalties on the owners or keepers thereof for violating any ordinance; and at all such sales the purchaser of any animal shall be deemed to acquire a good and valid title thereto if the provisions of the ordinance have been complied with.

Sales for charges.

Observance of
Sunday.

(15) To pass ordinances for the due observance of Sunday and the maintenance of order in the vicinity of churches, schools, and hospitals.

Fire stations and
equipment.

(16) To establish and own stations and equipment for extinguishing fires, and to provide everything necessary for the efficient operation of same.